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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination upon the merits, kindly amend as follows:

Please add the following claims:

--16. The light emitting diode according to claim 3, characterized in that: said fluorescent material containing layer is composed of a fluorescent material dispersed into an adhesive; and a back of said light emitting diode element is firmly fixed to said base by the adhesive action of said fluorescent material containing layer.